

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT**  
**SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA**

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

WAIVER OF INDICTMENT

v.

RICARDO MARTINEZ-VALDEZ

CASE NUMBER: 08cr290-H

I, RICARDO MARTINEZ-VALDEZ, the above named defendant, who is accused of committing the following offense:

Title 8, U.S.C., Sec. 1325 - Illegal Entry (Felony),

being advised of the nature of the charge(s), the proposed information, and of my rights, hereby waive in open court on 2/5/08 prosecution by indictment and consent that the proceeding may be by information rather than by indictment.

[Signature]  
Defendant

[Signature]  
Counsel for Defendant

Before [Signature]  
JUDICIAL OFFICER

